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THE SONG OF THE LARK

A girl and two suitors -- one brave and impulsive; the other, tempermental and fickle. The girl is in doubt as to which one to choose until one day in the fields a lark singing blithely on its way to the blue heavens above inspires the girl to the thought that her life should be the same, free and carefree. At this moment her sweetheart appears and pleads with her to marry him. But she procrastinates. Later in the day, the other suitor comes to press his affections and the girl is almost impressed by his pleadings but again asks delay. Meanwhile, the other sweetheart becoming jealous of the other's attentions seeks him and gives him money to finish his musical career. With the money gotten from his friend, the tempermental one returns to the girl and attempts to deceive her by telling her that his brother had sent him money and that now they could get married and go to Paris. But the girl sensed the deception, refuses to marry him. Then comes a crisis in the girl's life when she discovers the house of the impetuous lover in flames. She rushes to the scene and in a window at the upper story she beholds the lark captive in the cage and with her exclamation "LOOK! THE BIRD!", the impetuous lover rushes into the burning house and rescues the bird only to lose his sight. Then follows days of retribution on the girl's part, but happiness is in store for her when her sweetheart's sight is restored and she willingly says "YES" to his repeated avows.

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